

What's A Leader to Do?

(Hebrews 13:17)
The Whole Nine Yards, No. 9

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- 1. Loving One Another
- 2. Loving
 Outsiders
- 3. Loving Sufferers
- 4. Honoring Marriage

- 5. Contentment
- 6. Clinging to Jesus
- 7. Worship
- 8. Leadership
- 9. Prayer

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Bureaucratic Model

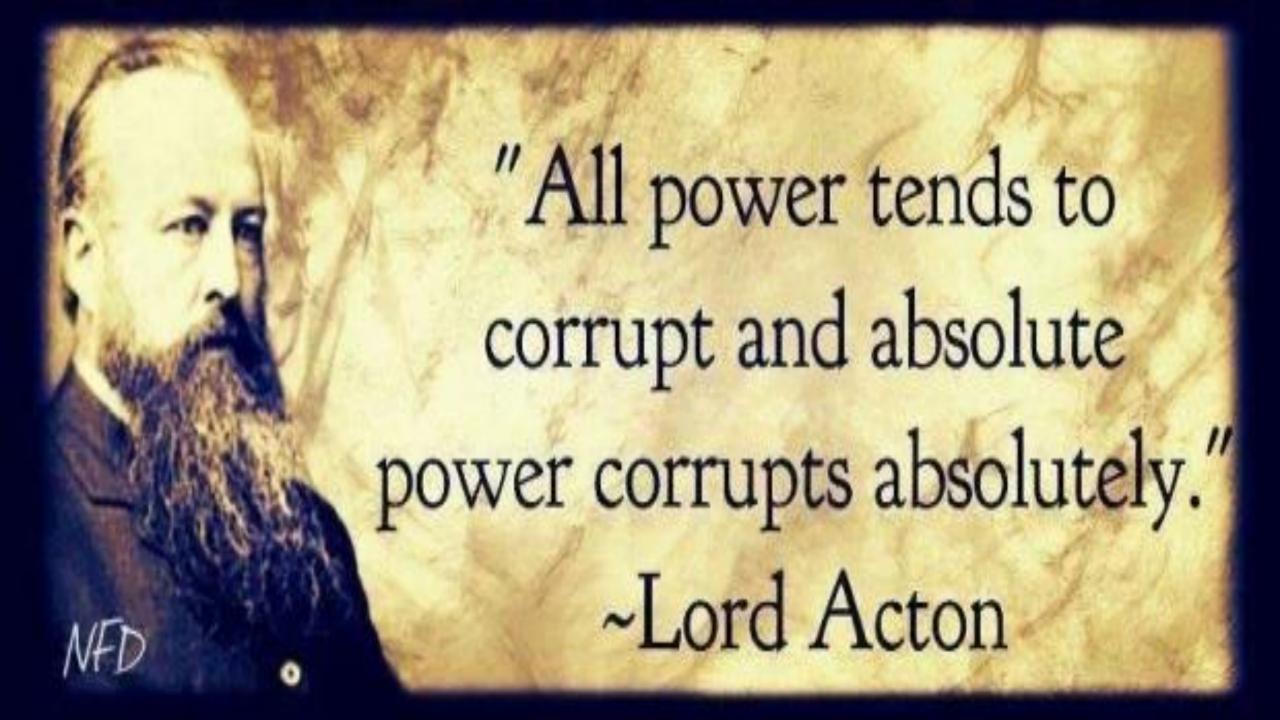
Responsibility - Authority

"Safe" but not an "Effective" Structure

Authoritarian Model

Responsibility + Authority

"Effective" but not a "Safe" Structure



Leadership Model

Responsibility + Authority + Accountability

"Safe" and "Effective" Structure



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God cares for his people by giving leaders who watch over them.

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Be a Pastor they said



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"Did you see me waving in the back of the worship center?
You preached too long.
It was time to eat!"

"Your sermon needed more calories."

"We need to start attracting more normal people at church."

"Not enough people signed up for the church golf tournament. You have poor leadership skills."

"Our expensive coffee is attracting too many hipsters."

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- 1. Bathe the pastoral search process in prayer.
- 2. Examine the nature of your concern.
- 3. Be prepared to follow the leadership of a new pastor.

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